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Preliminary Classification:  
 Proposed Class:  
 Subclass:

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## NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Roy Gary Black

For (title): Internally Braced Straw Bale Wall and Method of Making Same

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**1. Type of Application**

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

**2. Papers Enclosed**

**A.** Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

11 Page(s) of Specification

4 Page(s) of Claims

12 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Informal

**B. Other Papers Enclosed**

2 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

1 Page(s) of abstract

3 Page(s) of Assignment

**3. Declaration or Oath**

Enclosed and executed by the inventor.

**4. Inventorship Statement**

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

**5. Language**

English

**6. Assignment**

An assignment of the invention to Integrated Structures Inc. is attached. A separate FORM PTO 1595 is also attached.

7. **Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)**

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED

Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$770.00
Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	30	- 20 =	10 x	\$18.00	\$180.00
Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	4	- 3 =	1 x	\$86.00	\$86.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00
Filing Fee Calculation					\$1,036.00

8. **Small Entity Statement(s)**

Statement that this is a filing by a small entity under 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.9 and 1.27. Both the inventor and the assignee are small entities under 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.9 and 1.27

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above) \$518.00

9. **Fee Payment Being Made at This Time**

Enclosed

Filing Fee \$518.00

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. Section 1.21(h)) (See attached  
"COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW  
APPLICATION".)

Total Fees Enclosed \$558.00

**10. Method of Payment of Fees**

A Credit Card Payment Form authorizing the amount of \$558.00 is attached.

**11. Instructions as to Overpayment**

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**ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF  
PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED**

**12. Relate Back**

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line, the following sentence:

**A. 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e)**

"This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.:

**APPLICATION NO.**

**FILING DATE**

60/446,731

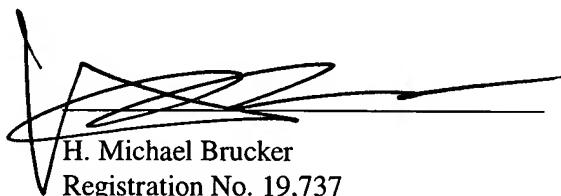
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**14. Further Inventorship Statement Where Benefit of Prior Application(s) Claimed**

a. This application discloses and claims only subject matter disclosed in the prior application whose particulars are set out above and the inventor in this application is the same.

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